## REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

## **Specification**

In the specification, the examiner took issue with the Abstract of the Invention.

Applicant has pared down the abstract to make the language more concise.

Applicant believes that no new matter has been added.

## Claims

The Examiner objected to claims 5 and 11 as being dependent on a rejected base claim, but would allow such claims if rewritten in independent form including all the limitations of the base claim and intervening claims. Applicant has complied with the Examiner's suggestion and has rewritten claims 5 and 11 in independent form including the limitations of their base claims.

The Examiner rejected claims 4, 7-10, and 13-15 under **35 U.S.C. §103(a)** for being unpatentable over Gregory in view of SOMFY's Catalog. To place these claims in a condition for allowance, Applicant has amended claims 6-9 to depend upon amended claim 5, and amended claims 12-15 to depend upon amended claim 11. Applicant believes that these amendments put claims 5-9 and 11-15 in a condition for allowance and requests the Examiner grant the same. Applicant respectfully withdraws claims 4 and 10 without prejudice.

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## CONCLUSION

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge shortages or credit overpayments to Deposit Account No. 500393.

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